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Ms. Rosemarie Crisologo Parsons, 100 W. Walnut Street, Suite A2 Pasadena, CA 91124

Re: DEIS; Clean Water Act Compliance at the South Bay International Wastewater Treatment Plant SCH# 2005014002

Dear Ms. Crisologo:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above referenced document. The Commission was able to perform a record search of its Sacred Lands File for the project area. The record search failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area; however, the absence of specific site information in the Sacred Lands File does not guarantee the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native American individuals/organizations to use in conducting consultations under the NHPA Section 106 process (**36 CFR PART 800**). **This list identifies individuals** who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area and should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. The Commission makes no recommendation of a single individual or group over another. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better prepared to address claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. A minimum of two weeks must be allowed for responses following notification. If there has been no response following the two week period, we recommend that you follow-up by telephone to ensure that the information was received.

Lack of surface evidence of archeological resources does not preclude the existence of archeological resources. Lead agencies should include provisions for accidentally discovered archeological resources during construction per California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Public Resources Code §15064.5 (f); Health and Safety Code §7050.5; and Public Resources Code §5097.98 mandate the process to be followed in the event of an accidental discovery of any human remains in a location other than a dedicated cemetery and should be included in all environmental documents. If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 653-6251.

Sincerely,

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